



MEMORANDUM FOR ALL NNSA EMPLOYEES

FROM: John Gordon

Like each of you, I am in a state of shock, grief, and anger over the terrorist attacks which took place yesterday. With thousands of casualties, many of us have been touched in a very personal way by these horrific events. As President Bush told us last night, "America has stood down enemies before, and we will do so this time." In this light, our mission at NNSA, which in many ways is to make the world a safer place, takes on an even greater importance. Please continue to do your job proudly and with determination.

We in the NNSA are an extended family and will be there for those in need. I offer my deepest sympathy and prayers to the victims and families of those whose lives have been changed forever by these unprecedented attacks on the United States.